



Docket No.: 050195-0269

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277
Yuuji TANJO, et al. : Confirmation Number: 2733
Application No.: 09/939,711 : Group Art Unit: 1745
Filed: August 28, 2001 : Examiner: Mercado, Julian A.
For: RECHARGEABLE LITHIUM ION BATTERY

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated July 11, 2005, now due to expire October 11, 2005, be extended for two months and set to expire on December 12, 2005 (December 11, 2005 falling on a Sunday).

Please charge the extension fee of \$450.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

Respectfully submitted,

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